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UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA MAY BE CONSIDERED  
AS SITE FOR FEATURE-LENGTH MOTION PICTURE

MISSOULA--

The University of Montana in Missoula may be considered as the site for the filming of a feature-length motion picture, according to Scott A. "Scotty" Warden, Helena, motion picture location promoter for the Montana Department of Highways.

Warden, who visited UM recently to photograph various campus scenes to be used in selecting a site for the yet-to-be-announced film, said, "A motion picture company in Hollywood is looking for a college campus resembling an Ivy League university to film a movie, and the University in Missoula has buildings and perhaps other features which may fill the bill.

"There is no guarantee that the movie will be filmed on the Missoula campus, but we're trying hard to have the film company shoot it here," Warden said.

Filming of the movie probably will take place during winter months, he said.

"Film-makers are interested in making movies in Montana primarily because so few motion pictures have been shot here and because Montana has kind of a magical ring in Hollywood," Warden said.

Since 1974, five full-length movies and parts of three others have been filmed in Montana. According to Warden, the state has realized about \$7 million in revenue from the filmings.

Warden said film-makers are looking for a site in the Lewistown area for a contemporary western picture entitled "Come's A Horseman Wild and Free." The film will involve cattle ranching in 1946, according to Warden.

Filming was completed this summer near Kalispell for the science fiction movie entitled "Damnation Alley." Stars of the film include George Peppard and Dominique Sanda. Jack Smight, who directed the movie "Midway," also was director of "Damnation Alley," which will be released soon by 20th Century Fox.